WHIRRR

LET'S SEE...

THE STATIC OUTER WALL TURBINE IS...

ON THE NEXT BLOCK.

.....?!

WARNING
F-7
GRUMBLE

WHAT THE... THIS ISN'T BROKEN, IT'S TOTALLY SMASHED...
HOW COULD THIS BE...
I'LL SHOW YOU HOW...
STARTLED!
I'LL JUST GIVE IT...
A GENTLE...
SWOOOSH!!
...?!

WHAM!!

PUNCH.
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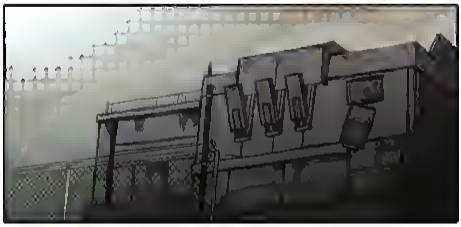
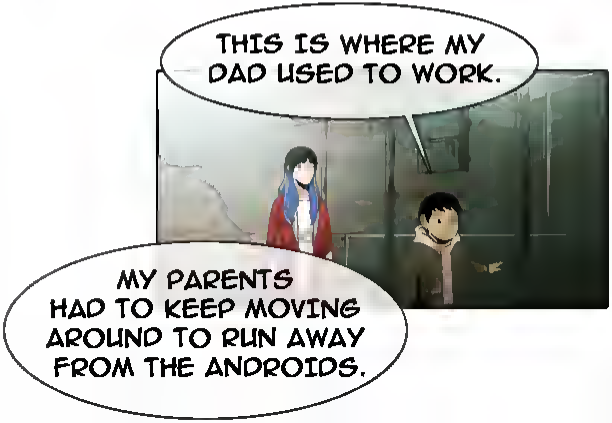
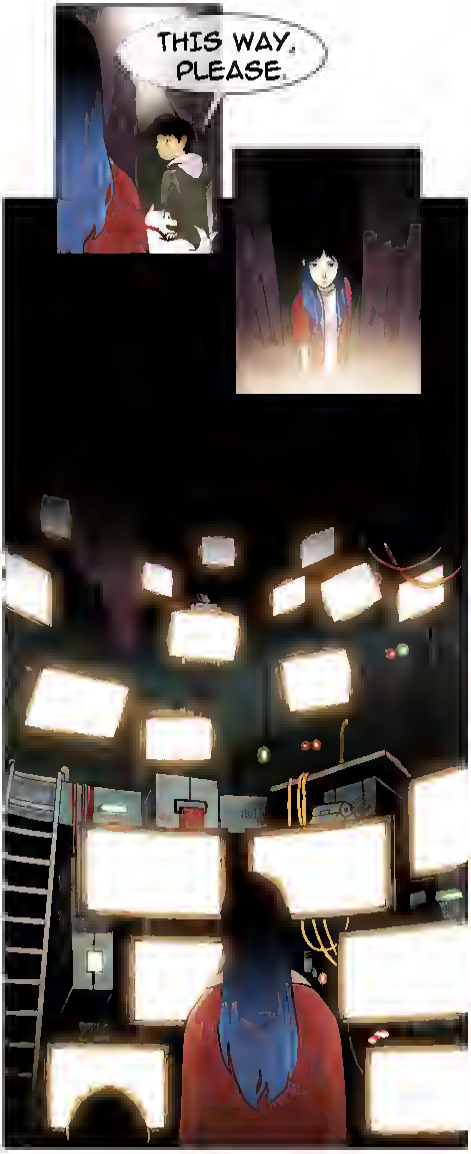
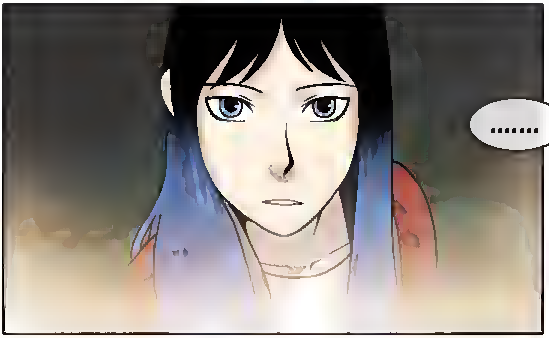



THIS IS WHERE MY DAD USED TO WORK.
MY PARENTS HAD TO KEEP MOVING AROUND TO RUN AWAY FROM THE ANDROIDS.


THIS WAY, PLEASE.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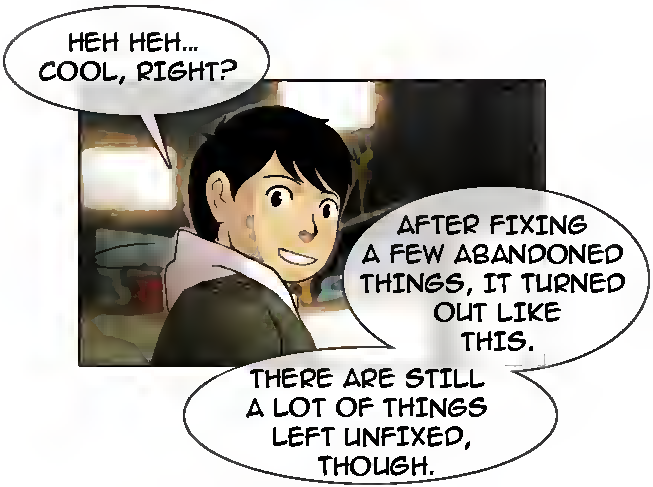
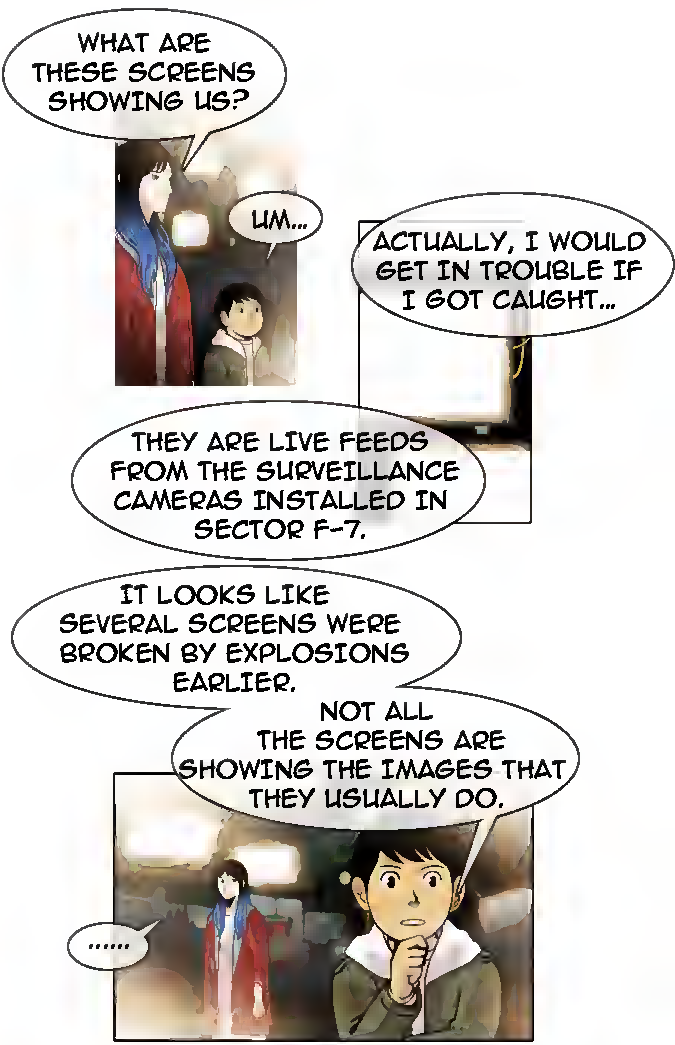

HEH HEH...
COOL, RIGHT?
AFTER FIXING A FEW ABANDONED THINGS, IT TURNED OUT LIKE THIS.
THERE ARE STILL A LOT OF THINGS LEFT UNFIXED, THOUGH.


WHAT ARE THESE SCREENS SHOWING US?
UM...
ACTUALLY, I WOULD GET IN TROUBLE IF I GOT CAUGHT...
THEY ARE LIVE FEEDS FROM THE SURVEILLANCE CAMERAS INSTALLED IN SECTOR F-7.
IT LOOKS LIKE SEVERAL SCREENS WERE BROKEN BY EXPLOSIONS EARLIER.
NOT ALL THE SCREENS ARE SHOWING THE IMAGES THAT THEY USUALLY DO.
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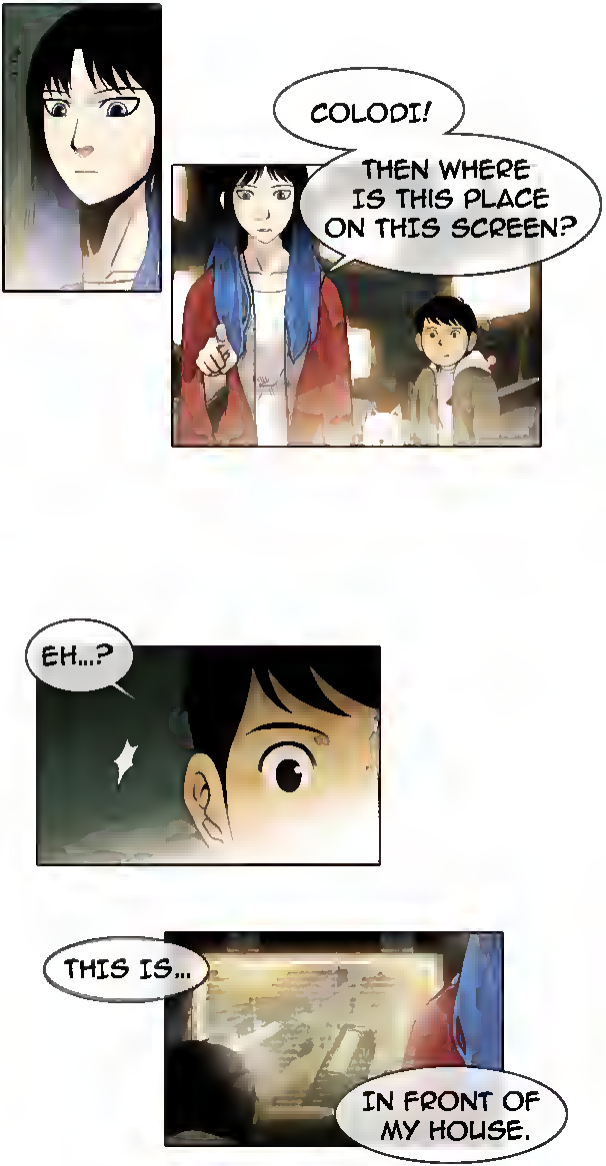
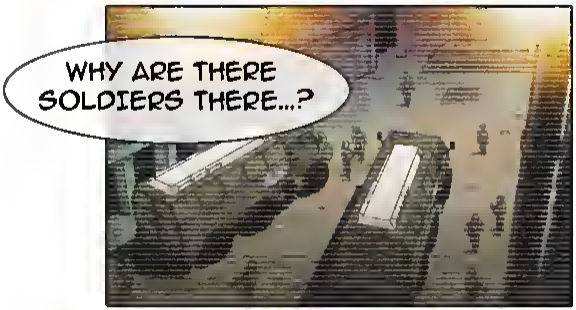
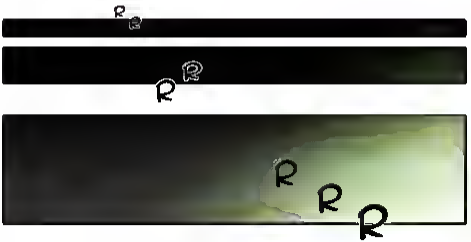

COLODI!
THEN WHERE IS THIS PLACE ON THIS SCREEN?
EH...?
THIS IS...
IN FRONT OF MY HOUSE.


WHY ARE THERE SOLDIERS THERE...?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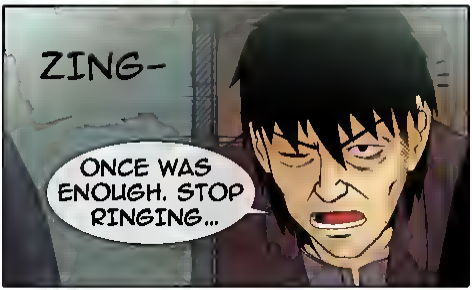
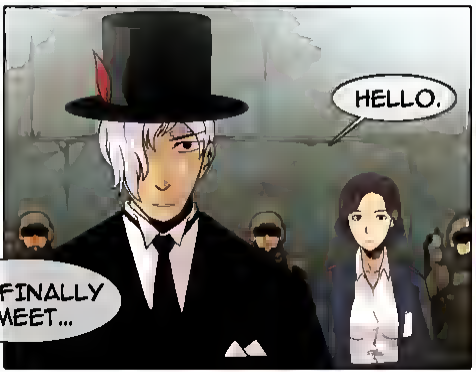
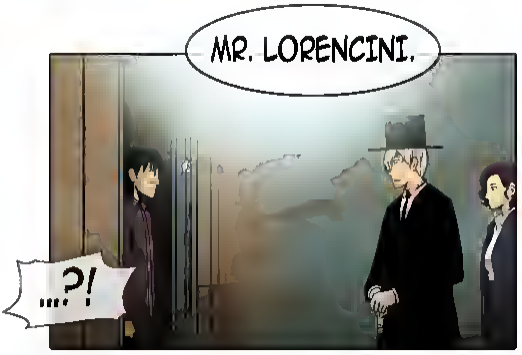
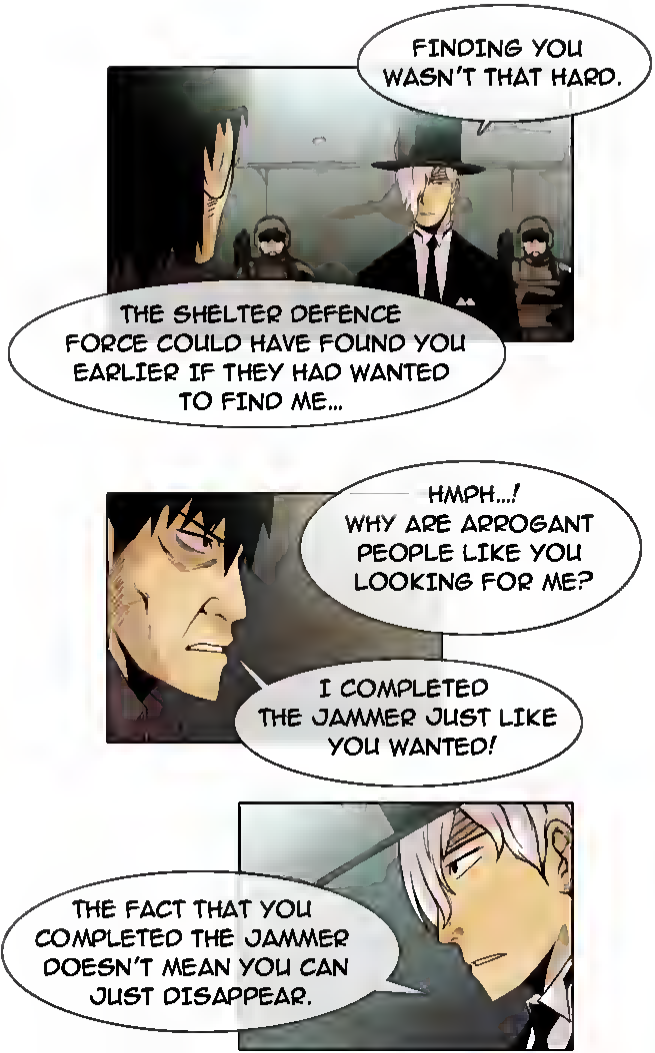

ZING-
ONCE WAS ENOUGH. STOP RINGING...


HELLO.
WE FINALLY MEET...

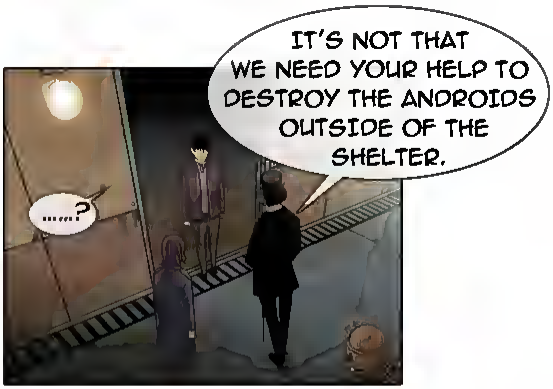

MR. LORENCINI.
...?!

ARE YOU...
FROM THE SHELTER DEFENCE FORCE?
STRICTLY SPEAKING, I DON'T BELONG TO THE SHELTER DEFENCE FORCE...
BUT IT WOULDN'T BE FAR FROM THE TRUTH FOR ME TO SAY THAT I DO.


FINDING YOU WASN'T THAT HARD.
THE SHELTER DEFENCE FORCE COULD HAVE FOUND YOU EARLIER IF THEY HAD WANTED TO FIND ME...
HMPH...! WHY ARE ARROGANT PEOPLE LIKE YOU LOOKING FOR ME?
I COMPLETED THE JAMMER JUST LIKE YOU WANTED!
THE FACT THAT YOU COMPLETED THE JAMMER DOESN'T MEAN YOU CAN JUST DISAPPEAR.

I'M SORRY THAT YOU HAD TO SUFFER A MINOR SACRIFICE DURING THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE JAMMER...
A MINOR...
SACRIFICE?!
TREMBLE...
TREMBLE...
CALM DOWN. DR. LORENCINI.
TAP
I DO APOLOGIZE FOR HIS REMARK.

RIGHT NOW, THE SHELTER DEFENCE FORCE IS TRYING TO IMPROVE THE JAMMER YOU COMPLETED AND MAKE IT MORE POWERFUL...
IN ORDER TO DO THAT, WE NEED YOUR HELP.
SHUT UP. I DON'T WANT TO GET INVOLVED WITH THEM ANY MORE. I'VE ALREADY DONE ENOUGH FOR THEM.
THE MASS-PRODUCED JAMMER YOU HAVE NOW IS ENOUGH TO DESTROY WHATEVER REMNANTS OF THE ANDROIDS THAT MANAGED TO RUN OUT OF THE SHELTER!


IT'S NOT THAT WE NEED YOUR HELP TO DESTROY THE ANDROIDS OUTSIDE OF THE SHELTER.
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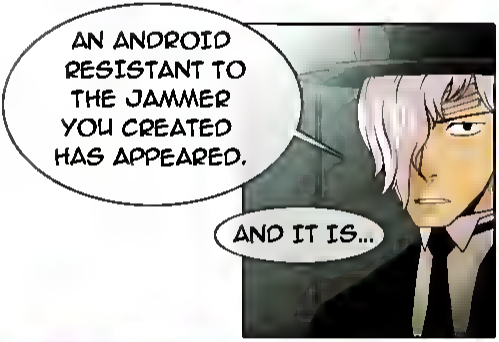
AN ANDROID RESISTANT TO THE JAMMER YOU CREATED HAS APPEARED.
AND IT IS...

IN THIS SHELTER RIGHT NOW.
...WHAT?!

AND...
BY NO MEANS ARE WE THREATENING YOU.
DR. LORENCINI,
YOU'RE A RESEARCHER IN THE SHELTER DEFENCE FORCE.
YOU WILL FACE A COURT MARTIAL FOR GOING AWOL.
WOULD IT BE BETTER FOR BOTH OF US IF YOU WERE TO HELP US QUIETLY?
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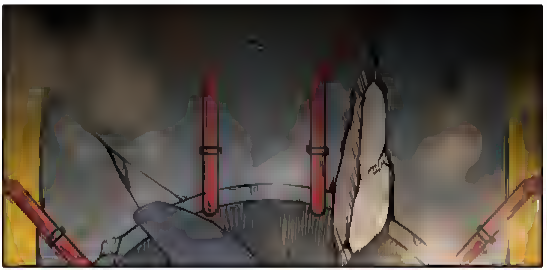
PLEASE, COME WITH US, DR. LORENCINI.
THERE WILL BE NO MORE ASSASINATION THREATS, UNLIKE WHEN YOU WERE DEVELOPING THE JAMMER DURING THE WAR.

WE HAVE TO SEVER ALL REMAINING LINKS WITH THE ANDROIDS NOW!



PZZT-

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THIS IS THE SHELTER CONTROL CENTER.

INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE OUTER WALL TURBINE STILL REMAINS INOPERABLE-
REPORT THE STATUS OF REPAIRS.
CLICK-
THE TURBINE IS WORKING FINE.
PLEASE CHECK TO SEE IF THERE'S AN ERROR IN THE SYSTEM. OVER.

COPY THAT.
I'LL CHECK ON IT.
OVER AND OUT.
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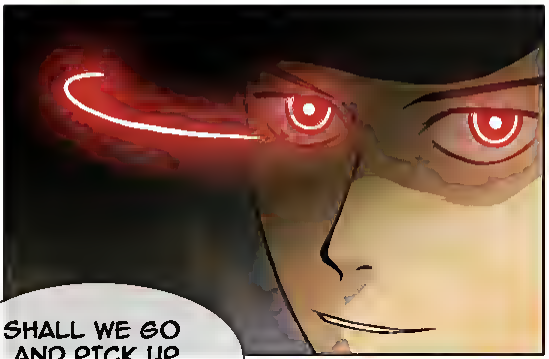
CRACK-!

WELL, NOW...



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